



April 2021

Dive-into-PhD training sessions

Have you recently started your PhD and are you looking for additional **support** regarding e.g. **FWO fellowship applications**? Then the Dive-into-PhD training programme, organised by our Department of Research & Innovation, is for you! Start in May with an introductory online session.

[Read more and register](#)



ADS thanks you!

The Antwerp Doctoral School wants to thank all the PhD students who were able to participate in our latest Doctoral Day. We hope it was informative and that you chose some interesting infoseconds.

If you were't able to attend this day or you want to revisit the tons of information you received, don't forget to check out the **powerpoint presentations** on our website!

Still left with questions? Contact us on: doctoraleducation@uantwerpen.be

[Find the presentations here](#)



New ADS courses: places available!

Recently, the ADS has expanded its training offer with **new courses** in the competence category "Communication Skills" and the competence category "Career Management".

Currently there are still a few places available in the courses **Communication Skills Basics** (places available in HC01) and **Applying for a job**. Don't miss this opportunity to register for these new courses! Registration via SisA Selfservice Student.

[More information](#)



Course on the Meaning of Digital Pattern Searching

Humanities researchers are increasingly using digital tools and methods to derive meaningful patterns in their sources – be they texts, artworks, archeological artefacts, sound recordings or linguistic data. This course will investigate a series of methodological issues and criticism regarding digital pattern-searching from multiple perspectives.

The goal of this course, organized by UGent, is to provide PhD students, postdocs and other researchers with a **conceptual toolset** to address these questions so as to better understand the surpluses and shortcomings of the various digital tools and methods in their research.

[Programme and registration](#)



Improve your English in 10 weeks

Want to gain confidence in your English speaking and writing skills? The advanced evening courses at **Linguapolis** are the answer! Through interactive online classes – **starting 19 April** – you will learn to express yourself better and become aware of mistakes and misconceptions through role play, games and writing with your fellow students. These courses are also eligible for **reimbursement through your educational credit!** Did you know that the online language platform Altissia is also available for self-study?



[Courses](#)

ADS Courses: The waiting list

When an ADS course is fully booked, you can put your name on the waiting list in SisA. You'll be contacted if a place becomes available again through cancellation or when an extra session of that course will be organized during the same semester.



PhD-candidates on the waiting list **do not have priority to enroll for the next semester**. All PhD students will be able to register for new courses of the next semester on a fixed date (early September). The exact date will be communicated in our next newsletter and on the ADS-website.

If you are enrolled in a course and it turns out you will not be able to take the course, please send an e-mail to catherine.bayart@uantwerpen.be to cancel. This enables ADS to contact other PhD-students on the waiting list to take your place. Last minute cancellation (except in case of illness) is therefore not accepted.

[More on the cancellation policy](#)

Global Food Venture Programme

The 4th edition of the Global Food Venture Programme, will be a 7 month long programme on **commercialization of business ideas**. This will give you the opportunity to bring your innovative research **from the lab into the market!**



EIT Food is a European innovation initiative with a mission to educate the new generation of entrepreneurs and innovators to transform the food system onto a more sustainable and healthier path. Students from all disciplines are welcome. Read more about the programme and registration below.

[Read more and register here](#)

IOB: Voices from abroad 2021

How can we create sustainable refugee policies that can enable displaced people to live in safety and dignity, while operating at scale?

CeMIS and IOB will host **Alexander Betts**, author of *The Wealth of Refugees*, for a public webinar on **26th April** from 7pm to 9pm on 'How Displaced People Can Build Economies'.

On **27th April** he will teach a PhD webinar 'Doing Policy-Engaged Research on Refugees: Challenges and Opportunities' from 9am until noon.

[Learn more and register](#)



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Decolonizing Philosophy workshop

This 2 day workshop will be organized online, on April 15 and 16. Researchers of the Philosophy Department invite you to discuss decolonization and how you can effectively contribute to it as a researcher.

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Hoog Tijd: infosession on knowledge production

The subject of Hoog Tijd's third infosession is: Hierarchies in academic knowledge production. This session brings together academics from the Global North and South to discuss their experiences and insights on the coloniality of the university as an institution and prospects for the decolonization of curricula.

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FLAMES Statistics Seminar

During this afternoon session 'Statistical principles for Clinical Trials will be discussed by dr. Ella Roelant. This session is free and will take place online.

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VIB Conference on Plant Science

This VIB conference 'Plant Science for Climate Emergency' aims at reviewing current research on adapting plants to climate change as well as on using plants for mitigating the accumulation of greenhouse gasses.

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